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As May draws to a conclusion, we have closed our doors to another school year and another class of graduates has entered post-secondary education, the military, or the workforce. We have remarkable students that do amazing things and they will be extremely successful in their future. With any successful student, success is supported through family, friends, educational staff, and community.

As we look at the remarkable successes of our students, we cannot forget the amazing dedication our students make. We have students that are at activities in the morning, attend school all day, go to practices after school, and somehow find time to involve themselves with another activity that evening. They do this day in and day out and yet don't miss a beat in the classroom. It is truly great to watch our students take advantage of all of their educational opportunities.

A major goal for our District is to develop leaders and create leadership opportunities. In the past two years, our leadership class has evolved into an exceptional opportunity for our youth to involve themselves in the school, community, and take ownership in their future. They have reached out beyond the schoolhouse walls and have fully immersed themselves into the community. This evolution of leadership now includes leadership development in the middle school and the District will be offering an after-school leadership opportunity for third and fourth grade students one day a week in the fall. Leadership qualities are important in any profession, business, program, or organization and we are doing our part to better tomorrow.

This cannot be a May article without wishing two of our teachers the best in retirement. Risa Carlson and Renee Hanson retired from education at the conclusion of this school year, to end their remarkable careers. Between the two of them, they have impacted thousands of children throughout their educational careers. We cannot thank them enough for their dedication and commitment to the youth of this District and community.

We hope that everyone enjoys their summer break and as always, thank you for your support of our students and school. Go Bison!!!